

Minutes of Kittery Conservation Commission Meeting of February 19, 2009

In attendance: Earledean Wells, Annie Borden, Don Moore, Holly Elkins, Steve Hall,

Excused:

Meeting called to order at 5:30 PM.

Correspondence and Communications:

Reviewed letter of inquiry from Kittery resident about joining KCC.

Old Business:

1. Wetland Ordinance Public Hearing – Town Council 2/9/09. Wetland Ordinance went through Council with three main points. Citizen referendum allowing KCC to deny wetland permit still viable, but maybe revised; dump truck load to remove or fill revised to 10 cubic yards; \$4.00 per square foot fee for wetland disturbance passed.
2. Open Space Committee. Earledean met with Jody Costello and talked about background of OSC. Next meeting scheduled for March 4, 2009.
3. Wetlands, vernal pools, conservation land signs. Nothing new to report.

New Business:

1. Planning Board
 - Feb 26 workshop on Shoreland ordinance and Post-Storm water ordinance.
 - Earledean went on site walk of the Roy Los property (behind Yummies Store) with a couple of PB members. There are still outstanding issues regarding clear cutting and violation fine. Another site walk scheduled for March 12.
 - York Hospital Site moving along. Moved building six feet further from Government Street.
2. Watershed Mgmnt. Committee. Steve spoke with Spruce Creek Association (SCA) representative about SCA being able to utilize a flurometer, which is a device that hooks onto a boat and can help track certain types of pollution.
3. ZBA meeting. There were two items on ZBA agenda. Neither falls under KCC purview.

Other:

- KCC discussed and reviewed letter to Maine Attorney General. Motion made to send letter as written to AG. Motion accepted unanimously.
- Also reviewed cover letter to Town Manager that will be attached to AG letter. Motion made that the cover letter and the attached letter to AG be delivered to Town Manager at appropriate time. Motion accepted unanimously.

Meeting adjourned at 6:30 PM

Respectfully submitted,



Donald F. Moore